

OFFICIAL KATS HOW-TO CPR (CATCH - PHOTO - RELEASE)

SCORING:

1. Must use official approved measuring device
2. EACH competitor will be provided a unique identifier and given a scorecard for each event.
3. Your three LONGEST verified lengths will be totaled for your score.
 - Redfish UNDER 20" and speckled trout UNDER 15" will not be scored and should not be photographed or recorded.
 - No rounding will apply (Example: A redfish that is 20" is legal, a redfish that is 19.5" is not legal).
4. The competitor with the HIGHEST total score (aggregate of your top 3 trout and/or redfish) is the WINNER. Next highest score will place second, and so on.
5. Rounding will be DOWN and to the nearest ¼ (quarter) inch.

CPR PROCESS:

- Wet anything that the fish will touch (hands, net, measuring device).
- Land your fish properly using a net. Avoid handling fish by their delicate gills.
- Place your fish on measuring device and photograph. Make sure you meet all requirements.
- Release your fish as quickly as possible (shoot for under one minute).
- Make sure fish is completely revived before release.
- Mark on your scorecard the length of the fish and the number of photos taken (fig 1).
- Circle and total your top 3 fish on scorecard (fig 1).
- Repeat for all LEGAL fish caught.

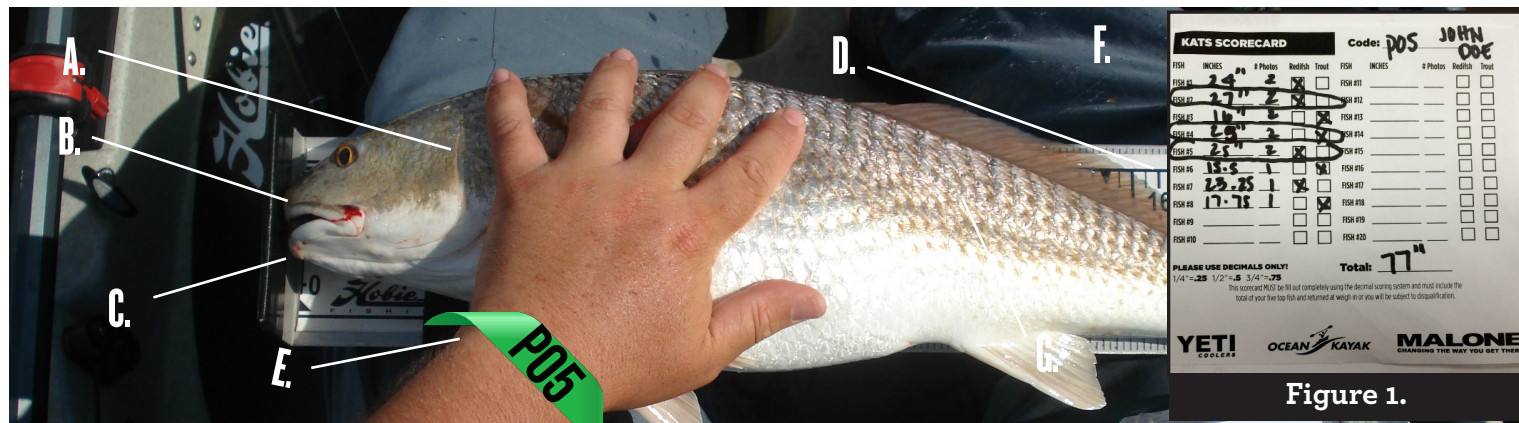


Figure 1.

Picture by: Matt Moccia

PHOTO CRITERIA

Each fish photo MUST include ALL of the following criteria:

- A. The whole fish, tip to tail. (Aside from your hand, fish must be clear of any devices. Mouth/fins/tail cannot be obstructed in photo.)
- B. Laying with the tip of the lip at beginning of ruler (open or closed).
- C. Fish MUST be left side UP.
- D. Measurement markings must be clearly visible.
Please darken lines with sharpie.
- E. Assigned unique identifier must be visible.
- F. ONE OVERHEAD PHOTO SHOT FRAME (not at an angle).

****ALL criteria must be met or photo will not be scored.****



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